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NEW PATENT APPLICATION TRANSMITTAL LETTER  
(37 C.F.R. §1.53(b))

Transmitted herewith for filing is an original (nonprovisional)  
patent application of:

**Inventor(s):** Matthew Conover and Peter Szor

**Entitled:** RETURN-TO-LIBC ATTACK DETECTION USING BRANCH  
TRACE RECORDS SYSTEM AND METHOD

Enclosed are the following papers as required for a filing date  
under 37 C.F.R. §1.53(b):

31 Pages Description;  
5 Pages Claims;  
1 Page Abstract; and  
6 Drawing Sheets (informal).

Other papers enclosed include:

X Return Receipt Postcard;  
X Check for \$918.00 ;  
6 Pages Combined Declaration for Patent  
Application and Power of Attorney (executed in  
counterpart);

22387 U.S.PTO  
10/763867

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04772 U.S.PTO

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- 1 Page Recordation Form Cover Sheet; and  
3 Page Assignment of the invention to Symantec Corporation (executed in counterpart).

Fee Calculation					
Claims	Number Filed	Basic Fee Allowance	Number Extra	Rate	Basic Fee
					\$770.00
Total No. of Claims	26	- 20 =	6	X \$18.00	\$ 108.00
No. of Independent Claims	3	- 3 =	0	X \$86.00	\$ 0.00
Multiple Dependent Claims				\$290.00	0.00
Total of above Calculation					\$878.00
Reduction by 50% for filing by Small Entity (Enter 0.5 for small entity)					1.0
Filing Fee					\$ 878.00

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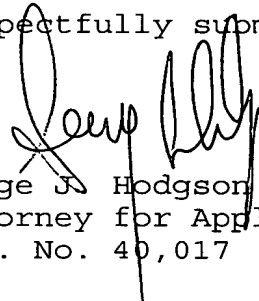
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Filing Fee	\$ 878.00
Assignment Recording Fee	40.00
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A check in the amount of \$ 918.00 is enclosed.

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